

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE:)	
)	Bankruptcy No. 20-20905 CMB
David W. Stebbins)	Chapter 13
fbda Arrowhead Lodgings,)	Docket No.
Debtor(s))	
)	
)	Related to Doc. No. 32
David W. Stebbins)	
fbda Arrowhead Lodgings,)	
Movant(s))	
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Vs.)	
)	
Ronda J. Winnecour, Chapter 13 Trustee,)	
Respondent(s))	

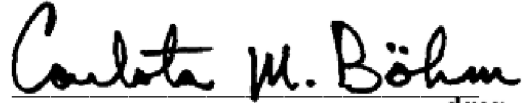
ORDER EMPLOYING SPECIAL COUNSEL

AND NOW, this 11th day of September, 2020, upon consideration of the ***APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT OF SPECIAL COUNSEL FOR THE DEBTOR'S WHISLEBLOWER CASES***, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED as follows:

1. The above referenced Application is hereby approved as of the date the Application was filed.
2. Michael J. Betts, Esquire and Michael J. Betts, LLC at 235 Alpha Drive, Suite 301B, Pittsburgh, PA 15238 is hereby appointed as *Special Counsel* for the Estate/Debtor pursuant to the terms (including compensation terms) described in the Fee Agreement attached to the above referenced Motion/Application for the limited purpose of acting as attorney in connection with the interest of the Estate/Debtor in prosecuting a whistleblower cases as referenced to in the foregoing Motion/Application, *provided however*, no settlement of any claim is to occur without prior Court Order after notice and hearing.
3. Professional persons or entities performing services in the above case are advised that approval of fees for professional services will be based not only on the amount involved and the results accomplished, but other factors as well including: the time and labor reasonably required by counsel, the novelty and difficulty of the issues presented, the skill requisite to perform the legal service properly, the preclusion of other employment due to acceptance of this case, the customary fee, whether the fee is fixed or contingent, the time limitations imposed by the client or the circumstances, the experience, reputation and ability of the attorneys involved, the undesirability of the case, the nature and length of the professional relationship with the client, and, awards in similar cases.
4. Approval of any application for appointment of counsel in which certain hourly rates/compensation terms are stated for various professionals is not an agreement by the Court to allow fees at the requested hourly rates or compensation terms. Final compensation, awarded only after notice and hearing may be more or less than the requested hourly rates/compensation terms based on application of the above-mentioned factors in granting approval by Court Order.

5. Retention of Co-counsel or other professionals outside of the special counsel's firm are required to be approved by this Honorable Court.

6. *Applicant shall serve the within Order on all interested parties and file a certificate of service.*



Carlota M. Böhm

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Chief United States Bankruptcy Court Judge

**cc: Debtor
Counsel
Office of the U.S. Trustee**

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Western District of Pennsylvania

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Debtor

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CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

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Date Rcvd: Sep 11, 2020

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Sep 13, 2020.

db +David W. Stebbins, 1100 Love Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15218-1157
sp +Michael J Betts, 235 Alpha Drive, Suite 301B, Pittsburgh, PA 15238-2940

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NONE. TOTAL: 0

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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Sep 13, 2020

Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on September 11, 2020 at the address(es) listed below:

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